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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Maturing of the crops in Cuba has been delayed by lack of rain.

The Black Jack gang of robbers is terrorizing Texas and the Southwest.

The most impressive volcano eruption in thirty years is now in progress in Hawaii.

Admiral Dewey cabled that he expects to arrive at New York about October 1.

The Colorado Supreme Court decides that the eight hour labor law is unconstitutional.

The survivors of the Ophan Brigade held their annual reunion at Glasgow Saturday.

At Tallulah, La., six Italians were lynched for the attempted murder of a prominent physician.

It is reported that the iron furnace erected several years ago at Grand Rivers have been sold to English capitalists.

The Post Office Department will next year ask an appropriation for automobiles to collect the mails in first-class cities.

A town of 400, in which there are only two white people, is to be incorporated in Alabama. All municipal officials will be negroes.

Three negroes are dead and four are dying as the result of drinking stolen poison which they thought was wine, in Barbour county, Ala.

Clay county feudists riddled the house of Sol Griffin and he and his family were compelled to flee on the floor all night to escape bullets.

The President will recommend that volunteers who served in the Philippines after the signing of the Paris treaty be given medals of honor.

Secretary of War Alger has tendered his resignation, and the President has accepted it to take effect Aug. 1, and has appointed Ethel Root to the vacancy.

One thousand miners are reported to be stranded in the Kotebeue district of Alaska and many are dying. The Government will be asked to send relief.

The transport Tartar, bearing the Nineteenth infantry, 1,800 strong, with Gen. Wheeler and daughter aboard, sails for the Philippines from San Francisco today.

A report from Washington says there appears to be no longer any doubt that Prof. Sanarelli, of Uruguay, is the discoverer of the specific germ of yellow fever.

Gen. Otis officially stands for the assurance that seventy men under Capt. Byrne met 450 brigands in the Island of Negros and killed 115 with the loss of only one man.

Admiral Dewey has filed suit as libellant at Washington to recover the prize money due him and the men of his fleet at Manila for the vessels sunk there by them.

Lexington citizens have invited the Kentucky Populists to hold their convention in that city instead of Frankfort, because of the prevalence of smallpox at the State capital.

The Young Men's Business League and the Board of Trade at Florence, S. C., are making official protests against the appointment of a negro preacher as postmaster at that place.

At the suggestion of Gov. Piogree, friends of Secretary Alger will hold an indignation meeting at Detroit. The meeting is to follow a public reception to Gen. Alger, which is now being arranged.

A Manila dispatch by way of Hong Kong says 3,000 American soldiers are in hospitals and many men on duty are unfit for service. Otis has disapproved the recommendation of Chief Surgeon Woodhull for more doctors.

Statement of William W. Howard, general manager of the Cuban International Relief Fund, indicates that, except near the cities, little progress has been made in Cuba toward resuming cultivation of the land. He says the trouble is a lack of funds.

The statistical report of the Interstate Commerce Commission gives the total number of casualties to persons on account of railway accidents during the year, ending on June 30, 1898, as 47,741. The number of killed was 6,859, and of injured 40,882.

To Delinquent Tax-Payers

The Fiscal Court of Crittenden County has ordered the Delinquent Tax-List for the year 1898 published in the Press. I have delayed the publication as long as possible, hoping all would settle; they have not and I now give notice that the list will be made up

Tuesday, August, 15th

and the names of all who have not paid for 1898 will be on the list and printed in the Press of Aug. 17. If you are on this list, call and pay before AUGUST 15.

John T. Pickens, S. C. C.

Marion, Ky., July 12, 1899.

BRYAN'S LETTER TO DEMOCRATS.

The Great Leader for the Ticket and Will Come to Kentucky. Goebel Talk About the Situation and is for Bryan and Blackburn.

Hon. W. J. Bryan has written the following letter to Mr. Urey Woodson, of Owensboro:

My Dear Sir: I have received within the last few days a number of letters and telegrams from Kentucky Democrats, some urging me to come to Kentucky and make a speech in support of the State ticket recently nominated, and others giving reasons why the ticket should be defeated.

In view of the fact that engagements already made will occupy my time until about the middle of September, and in view of the further fact that the demands upon my time are such as to prevent an early answer to the many communications received, I deem it best to address the Democrats of Kentucky through you, the National Committeeman for that State.

I noted with deep regret the bitterness which characterized the contest for the gubernatorial nomination, and studiously avoided saying or doing anything which could be construed as an expression of preference between the candidates, all of whom I knew personally and all of whom are outspoken supporters of the Chicago platform.

I did not then nor shall I now discuss the relative merits of the candidates; neither am I sufficiently informed upon the facts to sit in judgement upon the conduct of the convention which placed the ticket in the field. The only objection I feel called upon to consider this time is one urged by a number of friends, with whose opinion I cannot agree; namely, that the election of Mr. Goebel would endanger the success of Democratic principles as enunciated in the Chicago platform. Several persons have expressed to me doubt as to Mr. Goebel's loyalty to the silver plank of the platform, while others complain that he is receiving influential support from gold Democrats and gold newspapers.

As to the first objection, I desire to say that Mr. Goebel supported Mr. Hardin and Mr. Blackburn in the campaign of 1895; he supported the Chicago platform and ticket in 1896, and was chairman of the reception committee when I, as a candidate, visited Covington during the campaign. He was chairman of the Democratic State Convention in 1897, when the Democratic platform was reaffirmed, and Mr. Shackelford nominated. During his canvass for the gubernatorial nomination he declared himself in favor of the reaffirmation of the Chicago platform, and announced

that he would not accept the nomination unless the Chicago platform was indorsed by the State Convention. He is now a candidate upon a platform, unanimously adopted, which gives an emphatic endorsement to all of the Chicago platform.

In answer to the second objection, permit me to say that it is not a valid objection to Mr. Goebel that he is supported by some who opposed the ticket in 1896. We desire that all gold Democrats shall return, provided they will accept the Democratic platform and support candidate pledged to that platform. We desire to have all gold newspapers return to the party, if we can secure their return without surrendering party principles. It is not the policy of the party to drive people away from it, but rather to invite people into the party. The party stands committed to the doctrine set forth at Chicago, and while it will not turn its back upon those doctrines to gain the friendship of gold Democrats, yet it does not and should not reject the support of any who are willing to aid in vindicating the principles of the platform by electing candidates who represent those principles.

Certainly a victory won upon the platform adopted by the State Convention can do no harm, but what shall we say of defeat? If the Republican State ticket is elected the Republicans in Kentucky and elsewhere will be encouraged and the fight of 1900 made harder. If the Democratic State ticket is defeated, a Republican Senator may be elected from that State. I cannot look with unconcern upon the possible defeat of Senator Blackburn. He has been so loyal, so courageous and so devoted to the principles of Democracy and has defended them with so much ability and eloquence that I cannot remain silent, when silence might be construed to mean indifference to his success. The Senator elected by the next legislature will serve throughout the next administration. What shall it profit us if we elect a President and House of Representatives and have a hostile Senate to obstruct legislation? Silver can not be restored, the trusts can not be overthrown, the imperial policy of the Republican party can not be brought to an end until the Senate, the House of Representatives and the executive are all taken out of the hands of the Republican party.

We are engaged in a great contest between plutocracy and Democracy; a contest which may decide finally whether English financiers or American voters shall control our policy; whether our government shall be a government of the trusts or a government of the people; whether our nation shall remain a republic or become an empire.

In answer to those who urge that Mr. Goebel's election would be detrimental

to the cause of bimetalism and to me personally, I deem it my duty to say that I have no personal or political interests that deserve to be considered when Democratic principles are at stake, and that, in my judgment, the cause of Democracy would be injured by the defeat of a Democratic ticket nominated upon a platform which unqualifiedly indorses the Chicago platform.

Yours Truly, W. J. BRYAN.

Senator Goebel Talks.

Covington, Ky., July 19.—Senator William Goebel, the democratic nominee for Governor, said this morning to the News:

"Permit me to say one word as to my attitude toward Bryan. I have made 75 speeches in Kentucky advocating the nomination of Mr. Bryan in the coming national campaign, and I expect to make 75 more advocating the same thing. "Mr. Bryan is as much the nominee of the Kentucky democratic convention as I am. In fact, I believe that he got a few more votes than I did. There was not one dissenting voice where he was concerned, and in my case the result was for a time believed to be in doubt. Mr. Bryan received the unanimous indorsement of the convention for president. I received a majority of the delegates for governor. The convention was kind enough to make my nomination unanimous. Mr. Bryan's was unanimous from the beginning. Unless, I was honestly, earnestly and unalterably in favor of the nomination of Mr. Bryan for president there would be but one thing for me to do—resign the nomination for governor. I don't expect to do that, I expect to be elected in 1899, and I expect to see Bryan elected in 1900."

Further along in the interview Mr. Goebel said that the same men who were endeavoring to stir up disaffection toward Goebel among the men loyal to Bryan are asserting that if Goebel is elected Blackburn will go down. When this statement was made Senator Goebel smiled slightly and paused before making a reply. Then he said: "There is one thing which is certain. If I am not elected Blackburn will go down. I shall regret to be defeated, but I would regret it as much on Blackburn's account as on my own. I have the highest regard and the warmest personal friendship for Senator Blackburn. He knows that I know that if the democratic state ticket is defeated this year the legislative ticket goes with it, and Blackburn's successor will be a Republican. T. Bryan, Senator Blackburn's

much the cominee of the Louisville convention as I am. I say to you, with perfect candor, that if the issues were separate I should be perfectly willing to be defeated myself. If the sacrifice would give the democratic party control of the legislature and return Blackburn to the senate, but I say, at the same time, that circumstances require that the state ticket shall win. That means the election of Bryan and Blackburn as a commonwealth, the creation of a democratic legislature and the election of John Blackburn to the United States senate. It means even more than that.

"The campaign of Kentucky is practically the opening gun for Mr. Bryan in the national campaign. Kentucky has indorsed—has nominated—Bryan for president. If we can't carry Kentucky in 1899 Bryan can't be elected in 1900. If the Republicans win this year the election law will be repealed, making the laws of 1896 possible of repetition. But we shall win in 1899 and Kentucky's electoral vote will be cast for Bryan in 1900. The democratic campaign which is to be made in this state, will with a fair count—which is assured—produce a democratic majority of at least 25,000.

SCHOOL FUND

In Kentucky Will Be Increased By the Tax Rate.

Frankfort, Ky., July 22.—It will be good news to the common school teachers in Kentucky to learn that the per capita for school children has been increased. Superintendent of Public Instruction Davidson fired the per capita for the coming year at \$2.70, which is an increase of 40 cents over last year, but less than the high rate of \$2.85, which was reached during the preceding Democratic administration. The school census this year shows 719,654 children of school age, and the total school fund this year will be \$1,943, 165.80 including the direct revenue, railroad tax, interest on school bonds, tax on distilled spirits and all other other sources.

His Life Was Saved
Mr. J. E. Lilly a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately made a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In tell us he says: "I was laid with Typhoid Fever, than ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1. Trial bottle free at J. H. Orme's drugstore; every bottle guaranteed.

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Notice

All that are interested in Hurricane cemetery are specially requested to meet there Wednesday, Aug. 2nd, for the purpose of cleaning off the grounds. Bring your wives and children, and dinner and tools necessary for the work. Religious services after work is done.

L. C. Terry,
R. M. Franks,
J. B. Phillips.

BOB INGERSOLL DEAD

Famous Agnostic a Victim of Apoplexy.

THE END COMES SUDDENLY

New York, July 21.—Robert G. Ingersoll died at his home in Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., this afternoon, of apoplexy.

Mr. Ingersoll went to his summer home in Dobbs Ferry two days ago apparently in good health. Shortly after his arrival there he complained of a slight indisposition.

He spent this morning in his room and shortly before he was stricken his wife offered to have his luncheon sent up to him so that he would not have to walk down stairs to the dining-room below. He laughingly replied that while he did not feel quite as strong as he used to, he guessed he was not yet an invalid and would go down with the others. As he finished speaking and was about to rise he fell back into his chair. A physician was immediately summoned, but when he reached the house he found that Mr. Ingersoll had died almost instantly. The physician did not give the cause of death but the family believe it was due to apoplexy. Mr. Ingersoll's wife and two daughters were with him when he died.

Robert Green Ingersoll was born Dresden, N. Y., on August 11, 1833. His father was a Congregational minister of liberal views. After a boyhood in Wisconsin and Illinois, Robert studied law and began the practice of his profession at Shawneetown, Ill. He early became active in politics. He was defeated for Congress in 1860 as a Democratic candidate.

In 1862 he was made Colonel of the Eleventh Illinois cavalry.

He later allied himself with the Republican party and was appointed Attorney General of Illinois.

His speech nominating Blaine in Republican National Convention of 1876 gave him a national reputation. In 1877, he declined the mission to Germany. He was counsel for the so-called Star route conspirators in the celebrated trial which ended in their acquittal.

Ingersoll was largely in demand as a campaign orator, but it was as a lecturer that he was best known. He was perhaps the most famous agnostic of his time. He published numerous books setting forth his views. He had wonderful powers of imagery which, aided by his eloquence, made him a most impressive speaker.

New York, July 24.—It was decided to day that the funeral services over the remains of Ingersoll will be held at the family home in Dobbs Ferry to-morrow. John Clark Ridd and C. J. Smith, lifelong friends of Ingersoll, will make brief addresses. The body will be cremated either to-morrow afternoon or Wednesday afternoon.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good looking, charming woman of a run down invalid. Only 60 cents at J. H. Orme's drugstore.

Bitten by a Cow

Mr. G. L. Owen, of Gracey, Ky., who was bitten by a cow a few days ago that was supposed to have had the alies, came to the city this morning and called upon Capt. Joe Fowler for his mad stone to apply to the wound. Paduach Register.

FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

Willard Watson, A Crittenden Boy, Tells About His Campaigning

SAN FERNANDO, P. I., June 4.

MR. J. E. WATSON:—Dear Father—I received a letter from you about two weeks ago, but I have been unable to answer it before.

We have been on the march for nearly a month, chasing the insurgents from one place to another. We are stationed at San Fernando. This is a village of about 15,000 inhabitants, situated about 60 miles from Manila.

We are using the deserted houses of the insurgents for barracks. We will probably stay here until after the rainy season is over, and then if the insurgents have not surrendered, will round up the rest of them.

The insurgents seem to have lost their confidence and nerve, and I think will soon give up, and become reconciled to the American government.

We have done some very hard marching, and have had several skirmishes with the rebels, but have not lost any men out of our company.

I will give you a list of some of the most important towns we have passed through.

When we left the trenches in front of Manila we marched to Calvoan, took the cars from there to Malolos and came from there to Bagbag. We crossed the river and came on to Calumpit, then marched up the river to San Luis; two gun-boats came up the river ahead of us. We had an engagement there but the gun-boats did not work. The natives won't stand the galling guns and artillery. We went through several small villages and came on to Canabua, went from there to the mountain towns, and from there across the country to Santa Ana, came from there to Mexico City, and on to San Fernando.

We have passed over some fine scenery and crossed several nice rivers.

Enough of this country and want to go home, but I am willing to serve the rest of my enlistment here. I have thirteen more months to serve. As I have nothing of interest to write I will close.

Your affectionate son,
WILLARD C. WATSON

BRYAN AND GOEBEL

Both Sides State the Case and Bryan Will Come to Kentucky

Chicago, July 20.—William Jennings Bryan late this afternoon called at the rooms of Senator William Goebel and National Committeeman Urey Woodson, at the Sherman House, and informed them that he would go to Kentucky about September 1 and spend a week making speeches for the Democratic State ticket and for the election of a Democratic Legislature that would send the Hon. J. C. S. Blackburn back to the United States Senate.

Mr. Bryan has speaking engagements up to September 1, but if it is possible to break out he will go to Kentucky and make a speech for the ticket before the time for his week's series.

Mr. Bryan was waited upon this afternoon by a committee headed by Allen R. Carter, their avowed object being to try to induce Mr. Bryan not to go to Kentucky in the interest of the Democratic ticket. Mr. Bryan was noncommittal. He was seen alone afterward by Mr. Carter, who says that Mr. Bryan replied: "I am all ears, Mr. Carter, and will hear what you have to say."

CONFERENCE IN GOEBEL'S ROOM

About 5 o'clock Mr. Bryan and Mr. Woodson left the National Committee meeting, on the second floor, and went up to Senator Goebel's quarters, where the Kentucky situation was discussed. Mr. Bryan had

received letters from former Senator J. C. S. Blackburn, and others with reference to party affairs in Kentucky. Mr. Blackburn indorsed the State ticket in the most unqualified terms, and invited Mr. Bryan to speak in Kentucky this fall. Mr. Bryan expressed to Messrs. Goebel, Woodson and Sam J. Shackelford, who was also present, the hope that Kentucky would give a big majority for the ticket, and said that defeat this year would be a blow to the party.

THE BOLTERS CRESTFALLEN.

Jim Williams, Tommy Drewry and the others who came here to try to keep Mr. Bryan away from Kentucky were crestfallen. In the committee besides those mentioned were Isaac P. Miller, John L. Dunlap, Charles I. Stewart, of Louisville, and J. C. Flournoy, a railroad attorney from Fulton county. Williams, Carter and Drewry stood in the halls of the Sherman House stopping various persons and telling their troubles in a loud voice and with denunciation.

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"Well, we don't want to be bothered with your troubles," was the reply. "Why don't you fellows take care of your own affairs," or words to that effect. Jim Williams told several persons that if they could succeed in keeping Bryan away from Kentucky they would have a big following for the bolting ticket which they proposed to nominate.

Does Your Head Ache?

Are your nerves weak? Can't you sleep well? Pain in your back? Lack energy? Appetite poor? Digestion bad? Boils or pimples? These are sure signs of poisoning. From what poisons? From poisons that are always found in constipated bowels. If the contents of the bowels are not removed from the body each day, as nature intended, these poisonous substances are sure to be absorbed into the blood, always causing suffering and frequently causing severe disease. There is a common sense cure.

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BRYAN SCORES M. H. SMITH'S CARD.

During the course of the conversation Mr. Bryan said: "Senator Goebel, I read the card of President Milton H. Smith, of the L. and N. rail road, which was recently published in the Courier Journal. It made me have a very high opinion of you, and what he said against you I consider as the best indorsement you could receive. It should have more weight in your favor than the admirable platform on which you are making the race for Governor."

The meeting, which lasted about twenty minutes, ended with the statement from Mr. Bryan that he intended to devote a week to the campaign in Kentucky.

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ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce
T. J. NICKEL
a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky. His candidacy is subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election November 1899.

State Inspector Leslie has been to Clay county looking into the feud; he reports that there is no prospect of another outbreak soon.

Crittenden came very near turning the work of nominating a candidate for the legislature over to good old Livingston this time. The nominee is eminently satisfactory.

We would like to know if the Dispatch is for or against the election law by this time? Is it for or against the Ripper bill? Is it for or against the Chinn school book bill?

President McKinley, it seems, is slow to learn some things. He has appointed a negro postmaster at Florence, S. C., and there will be trouble. The negro race suffers by these appointments.

If the Courier-Journal wants to come back into the party let it come. Where is the good sense in kicking, if it wants to support the nominees? It does not become the party leader, nor a Nesto, in any sense, by falling back into the ranks.

If New York Republicans do not harmonize with the Administration in every jot and tittle, then there is nothing in patronage. The Empire State has Choate as Ambassador to England, White as Ambassador to Germany, Porter as Ambassador to France, Strauss as Minister to Turkey, Seth Low as commissioner to the conference at The Hague, Whitelaw Reid as peace commissioner and as special commissioner to the Queen's jubilee, Cornelius Bliss as Secretary of the Interior, and now Elihu Root as Secretary of War.

One of the greatest surprises of Saturday's primaries was the defeat of Hon. John Melan for re-nomination for the legislature in Calloway county. One of the brightest and truest of men in the last House, his re-election was looked upon by his friends over the State as a foregone conclusion, but the spathy of friends who anticipate no danger caused his defeat by thirty votes. He is a loyal Democrat and will take defeat like the philosopher he is, but "these old bones will rise again."

NICKEL WINS.

A Small Vote Polled in the Primary Election Saturday.

The Democratic primary election Saturday passed off quietly and a very small vote was polled. Mr. T. J. Nickels defeated Mr. G. N. McGrew in the two counties by a vote of 534 to 250, for the nomination to represent the two counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky. The vote of Crittenden is as follows:

	Nickels	McGrew
Marion	110	20
Union	8	5
Sheridan	9	0
Tolu	11	18
Fords Ferry	5	5
Bells Mines	25	2
Piney	6	13
Frances	3	21

Totals 177 84
Nickel's majority, 93
In Dycusburg the polls were not opened. In Fords Ferry 4 votes were cast for G. C. Wathen; in Tolu 1 for C. H. Webb, in Marion 3 for W. H. Clark.

Vote of Livingston County

	Nickels	McGrew
Smithland	83	29
Iuka	46	5
Pan Handle	8	
Hillville	27	5
Birdsville	12	38
Salem	59	27
Carrsville	59	7
Rays Spring	5	19
Lola	30	22
Hampton	28	14

Totals 357 166
Nickel's majority, 191.
Nickel's majority in two counties, 284.

To Bridge Builders.

Two small bridges near Crittenden Springs need repairs. The under signed will be at the bridges Friday morning at 9 o'clock to decide upon repairs needed and let the contract for same. Persons desiring to bid on same will please be on hand.

LOCAL NEWS

From All Sections of the County

FREDONIA.

A large crowd attended the meeting at Flatrock Sunday.

Rev J L Hughey wife and daughter, of Illinois have been visiting relatives here for the past week.

W B Henderson, of Princeton was in town last Saturday.

Rev Jarrell, of Texas, the first preacher that ever preached at Flatrock attended the meeting there last week.

D P Glenn, of Crayneville, was in town last week.

Some republicans offer to back their judgement with their pocket book that Goebel will not be the next governor of Kentucky; they would be very certain to lose.

Rev W W Wynn, of Webster was in town last Saturday evening.

Miss Fannie Rutter, of Carrsville, has been visiting Miss Lily Brown for the past week.

The hardest rain Saturday evening ever known in town.

A four or five year old son of Mr Hancock, of Henderson, formerly railroad agent here, died last Saturday, and was buried at Dycusburg Sunday.

The scriptures say, "If ye have not the spirit of Christ, ye are none of his." There are people belonging to the church who are always meaning somebody else, because they will not yield to their whims and give up self respect and independence.

Cealoy Wyatt, a very old colored woman, died Thursday.

F N Dalton died at his home in the edge of Crittenden last Wednesday and was buried Thursday by the Masons at Bethlehem cemetery. Services conducted by Hon. Eli Nichols of Princeton.

Over \$35.00 was taken in at the measuring party at Mrs Robbie Rice's last week, a quilt being sold for \$15 which had been made and donated by the ladies of the community.

If you want shoes to wear well and look well, we have them that will not hurt your feet.

Sam Howerton.
Lots of ducks, plagues, dimities in white and figured goods.

Staple dry goods at old price.
Sam Howerton.

Thomas Threlkeld, wife and daughter, with Miss Lillie Crewdon, of Hampton, were visiting A S Threlkeld and wife last week.

TOLU.

Charley Cook the photographer, has been in our town several days.

Ed Weldon, of near Fords Ferry, has moved into our town.

Our telephone office will be in the drugstore of Mantz & Weldon.

Mr. Alexander tells us that the telephone line from here to Marion will be completed within ten years.

Walter Platt and son, Thomas, have been in our town about three weeks with their picture gallery.

Wm Barnett and family returned from Evansville last Friday.

Mrs Della Crawford, of near Milford, died Thursday and was buried at Hopewell church Saturday.

The primary Saturday was a very quiet affair, only thirty votes were cast.

Mrs James Thomas is quite sick. S A Marks has been on the sick list for several days but is improving at this writing.

Eugene and Buckner Croft have just received a Red poll bull from Delaware, Ohio, that is fourteen months old, and weighs 800 pounds. The price paid was \$151.30. G B Crawford & Son., have sent for one of the same stock.

Milo Barnes, of Eureka, Ark., is conducting a very successful singing school at this place.

W P Order and family have been guests of T A McAmis for a few days.

The dry season has greatly damaged the corn crop in this vicinity. There can not be more than half a crop made.

GOING SPRINGS.

One of the happiest events of the year were our late rains.

Mrs Julia and Jane Oonger are on the sick list.

The meeting at Mrs James' Sunday was well attended.

William Carrier was visiting in the Crooked Creek neighborhood Sunday. What is the attraction William?

J J James and family are visiting friends in Livingston county.

Misses Mary and Julia Carter were visiting the family of Uncle David Postlethwaite last week.

E S Lemon is preparing to begin

CHAPEL HILL.

Miss Flora Walker is still on the sick list.

Wheat is turning out better than expected.

Harve Hughes got badly kicked by a horse while threshing wheat.

Miss Clement, of Marion, will teach our school.

Joe Parr and wife, visited B F Walker's family Sunday.

Bro Thompson, of Kuttawa, filled his regular appointment Sunday. He delivered an excellent sermon.

Tobacco crops in this neighborhood are looking well considering the drought. Some few have topped; not many worms yet. The early setting looks fine and there will be an average crop in this precinct. I will give the number of acres in next paper.

Our precinct furnishes its number of teachers this fall. Miss Maud Hill will teach at Crayneville, Miss Ann Hill at Union, Henry Walker at Sisco's Chapel, and Miss Jennie Clement at White Hall.

Corry Minner is still in the spar business at Crayneville. Corry is building himself up in the spar business.

Jack Tabor says that the tobacco worms are getting bad at his house, he found fifty worms on two plants. Jack said the fly was crippled that laid the eggs on those two plants.

We are having good rains which were badly needed. The boys look more cheerful now.

CARRSVILLE.

Rev B A Brandon closed a meeting at Bethel. He reports but little success.

Earnest Stallions and his sister, Mrs D V Worton are in Dawson visiting friends.

Postmaster Davis, of Lola, was in town this week.

H L Davis is in Marion on business this week.

Mrs Terry is on the sick list.

Sunday school was organized in the new church last Sunday. We now have two regular Sunday schools in our town.

Prof Wright left Thursday for Smithland, preparatory to pass the teachers' examination.

Crops had begun to appear to be drying up until the rain Friday when everything was refreshed.

The young folks had a pleasant day outing at the Mantle Rock Saturday. They had a fine damp time.

Photographer in town. Many have had their shadows caught, and are now sending them to their far-away cousins and sweethearts.

WESTON.

Six croquet yards doing business in town.

The river is two and one half feet deep in places.

Two of Scipio Dillard's children are sick.

Miss Mollie Anderson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs J L Lamb, returned home last week.

Dr. Morris the Marion dentist, was in town last week doing some dental work.

Tom Hughes and Mrs G D Hughes returned from Dawson last week, where they spent several weeks for their health.

The ice cream supper Tuesday evening was a pleasant affair, and the good ladies are to be congratulated upon their good taste in the arrangement of the church for the occasion; the decorations were beautiful, and the music rendered by the choir was a charming feature.

HUGHEY.

William and Tom Woodall was in our town a few days ago.

Jeff Clemens was mixing with the farmers a few days ago looking for fat stock.

Mrs Mary Gettings, of Kelsey has been visiting her brother Marion Cruce this week.

New Bethel church has called Rev R W Morehead to preach for them another year. He has been preaching for us about one fourth of a century.

APPLEGATE.

A series of meetings, under the management of Revs. Bogges, Canfield and King is in progress at Rosebud.

Mrs. Jane Thompson, formerly a resident of this county, is in from Texas to visit relatives.

Mrs. Maggie Brannham, of Henderson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ben Franklin.

F. E. Davis made a business trip to Union county last week.

The following pedagogues will teach in our section:

E. E. Thurman at Baker, Miss Della Kevitt at Dempsey, Urey Hensel at Moore.

DYCUSBURG.

Capt W J Stone was in town one day last week.

Eugene Graves, of Paducah is at home visiting his father.

Miss Ebbie Pickens, of Marion, is the guest of friends here.

Mrs Myrtle Moore and daughter, and Miss Daisy Crouch are spending a few days in Dawson this week.

Miss Mable Langston, of Hughey, was the guest Mr and Mrs O T Glenn one day last week.

Mrs J M Graves returned home from Dawson Saturday, where she has been spending a few days.

Costella, the little son of Mr and Mrs William Hancock, of Henderson, was buried here Sunday evening.

Bob Miles and wife, were visiting in town Sunday night.

The young people enjoyed a pleasant evening at the residence of Mr P K Cooksey one night last week.

SALEM.

Mrs. M. D. Roney and Miss Carrie Moore, of Marion, spent Sunday with friends here.

Dr. John Lowery has returned to his home in Kansas.

We are all for the Democratic this fall, Ollie James for Congress and Bryan for President in 1900.

Railroad in 90 days. The civil engineer came the first of the week and work has been commenced.

Hurrah for Salem—railroad and telephone and Democratic!

Our Christian Endeavor is doing a great work. All are invited to attend our meetings. This movement is calculated to scatter seeds of kindness in human hearts and the sunshine of joy in the home of all who will open the door. Come out and grow spiritually as well as physically.

Miss Susie Boyd will attend the commencement at the Lebanon school this week, where her sister, Miss Helen Boyd will graduate.

Guy Robinson was back at his old stand Saturday and Sunday, many friends were glad to welcome him into our midst again.

BAKER.

Mr. Summer Newcom has come home to stay. We occasionally hear him singing Rosy O—but not Grady.

L. B. Phillips has a new baby at his house; it is a girl.

Protracted meeting is in progress at Rosebud.

Will Taylor and family have returned from their visit near Shady Grove.

Listen Wilcox and Jeffie King were visiting in Union county Sunday.

Ed. Cook, of Fords Ferry, was visiting in this section Sunday.

Sam Winn and family, of Lamb, Ill., spent some days with his brother in this section last week.

Silas Phelps, of Webster county, came over to see his father Saturday.

Miss Susie Phelps is visiting her brother near Providence.

Ed White, of Clay, was in this section Sunday.

N. A. Oneal and Miss Nora Phelps have gone to McLean county to remain a week.

Miss Kate Browning and sister of Marion are guests of Miss Genia Fletcher.

Randolph, a fruit tree agent from Indiana, is canvassing this section.

Dr. Franklin is right busy.

Mrs. James Taylor has been sick several days.

Wm P. Oneal is recovering from an attack of fever.

Mrs. Johnnie Haynes, our Sunday school superintendent, requests the boys to meet at Baker next Saturday evening and build an arbor for the benefit of the Sunday-school.

J. W. Lamb has purchased a \$300 lot of timber from R. H. Duncan and will move his mill to it.

Horses for the Philippines.

Washington, July 23.—Maj. James B. Aleshire, Quartermaster, has been ordered to visit points in Illinois, Ohio, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Wyoming and Kentucky for the purchase of horses for the Philippines.

Portable Pantry.

The Portable Pantry will be in town for a month or so yet and will always be on exhibition at McFee & Hill's grocery. We would like to show the Pantry to every lady in Marion, whether they want one or not, because that is our business.

Volcanic Eruptions.

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, cures them; also Old Running Sores and Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felt, Corns, Warts, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chills, Blisters, Best File cure on earth. Drives out Pains and Aches. Only

Carrsville, Ky., July 22.—Editor Press:—If you will allow me space in your valuable paper for a few sentences from one of 'the plain people' and a voter of old Livingston, I will glad to express myself. I am a Democrat and never scratched a ticket but once and I did not vote because I failed to see any Democratic timber in the nominee, who was Horace Greely. I have voted for every Democratic nominee for president, except Greely, since Buchanan in 1856 to and including 1896—a period of forty years, have voted the ticket straight all these years, and if I live until November, I will vote it straight again, Goebel and all. I never met Mr. Goebel, but I was acquainted with his preceptor, Hon. J. W. Stevenson, and knew him to be Simon pure. I have been a reader of the Louisville Dispatch, and while it has been in Democratic harness, it has been a continuous kicker and has done more to disrupt and disorganize the party than all the Republican papers in the State combined, and it should be condemned by every Democrat in the State for the course it is now pursuing in fighting the nominee, Mr. Goebel, who has during his entire political life worked in the interest of the party and of the laboring class, fighting against exorbitant turnpike and bridge tolls and encroachments of other soulless corporations. He has always held the party's banner up, and in the late state convention was victorious over the L. & N. railroad and its ally, the Louisville Dispatch. Now Mr. Stone wrote a letter to the Dispatch after his defeat. It seems to me that he has "no kick coming." Why did he go into a combine with Goebel, was he afraid of Hardin, or did he wish to trick Goebel? Surely, Mr. Stone has no cause of complaint, if Mr. Goebel beat him? If he proposes to say that Mr. Goebel was smart enough and strong enough to muzzle over 900 of the best Democrats in Kentucky and force them against instructions to vote for and declare him the nominee, the Mr. Goebel is worthy of the laurels he has won. Now I wish to say to Democrats, especially to those who were for Hardin, as I was myself, and for Stone, the die is cast, the delegates we sent to the State convention made the selection out of the three candidates and as loyal Democrats we should rally to the support of the entire ticket, and redeem the State. The prosperity and well-being of the glorious old Commonwealth demands that we should lay aside personal prejudice and vote the straight ticket and repudiate the Louisville Dispatch and its henchmen.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to me must settle at once. I am going to quit business and must collect up. This is the last warning, in a short time those owing me will find their accounts in the hands of an officer for collection.

J. L. RANKIN,
Fords Ferry, June 15, 1899.

SALEM.

"You can't put the ocean in a teacup," neither can you describe today the thousand and one bargains which we offer to you.

Take down your dictionary and see what Webster calls a bargain. He says it's a gainful and satisfactory transaction. According to that our whole store must be made up of Webster's bargains.

We are going to have a railroad; we must make room for the immense stock of new goods that we will receive on the first train. Come early, get choice of the bargains, real bargains we are now offering.

Ladies shoes worth \$3.50 for \$1.50. Ladies shoes worth \$1.25 for 75c. Dress goods from 31c to \$1 per yd. Mens work shirts 25 cents. Pint cups 2c each.

All other goods as reasonable as these quoted above. We can't possibly sell so low after we get the railroad. Come quick before the train gets here.

Rappolee, Summers & Co.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately made a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In tell us it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever, than ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1. Trial bottle free at J. H. Orme's drugstore; every bottle guaranteed.

Those who live on farms are liable to many accidental cuts, burns and bruises, which heal rapidly when BAL LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is promptly applied. Price 25 and 50 cents at J H Orme's drugstore.

Perfect Health.

Keep the system in perfect order by the occasional use of Tutt's Liver Pills. They regulate the bowels and produce

A Vigorous Body.
For sick headache, malaria, biliousness, constipation and kindred diseases, an absolute cure

BROWN

Says He Will Accept the Bolter's Nomination.

Louisville, Ky., July 25.—Library Hall was partially filled tonight with an audience of bolting Democrats wild with enthusiasm if nothing else. Fully one thousand and no more bolting Democrats were in the hall, and while not so wild and enthusiastic as the regular convention a few weeks since, it was well enough. The convention had timely notice of its meeting and much chagrin was expressed over the fact that no more bolting enthusiasts were to be seen in Library Hall.

Hon. Wm. H. Sweeney, who was defeated in the regular Democratic convention for chairman by Judge Redwine, was elected tonight chairman of the bolters. On taking the chair and calling the convention to order he announced the purpose of a brief speech full to the brim of frauds committed by the regulars in the nomination of Goebel, and lauding to the skies the patriotic efforts now being made by the bolters, which means the election of Taylor, the Republican nominee, if it means anything at all. "There were several men of Sweeney's ability and reputation in the hall. A series of resolutions were presented, and before being acted upon, President Sweeney arose and said:

"I have come to night duly accredited from the greatest Governor Kentucky ever had, Hon. John Young Brown, who authorized me to say that he would accept my nomination and make the fight against Goebel to the last ditch."

This announcement raised a howl of applause equal to the throat capacity of every man in the hall, and continued several seconds.

In their examining trial at Manchester George and Pete Philpot, who figured in the bloody battle with the Griffins, were acquitted, the accused making out a clear case of self defense. The case against Green Griffin was continued until August 4.

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J. L. RANKIN,
Fords Ferry, June 15, 1899.

COMMISSIONER'S LAND SALE.

I will on Monday, August 14, 1899 at the court house door in Marion, Ky., sell to the highest bidder on a credit of six months, the place known as the old Allen Walker farm in Bell's Mines precinct. It will be sold in two tracts, No. 1, on left of Morganfield road, containing 45½ acres. No 2, on right of road containing 42 acres. Purchaser required to give bond.

L. W. CRUCE, Com'r.

GO TO WOODS & FOWLER

Lace Curtains from 0 cents up, and those Cute Curtain Poles that any body can put up.

New Clothing New Shoes

A few Over Shoes left. The best prices on Bolts of Bleached and Brown Domestic, 10-4 Sheeting.

Our Shirts Come and See. Are things of beauty.

The Racket

IS THE PLACE

To get goods cheap. All we ask is for you to look at our goods, we are sure to please you in quality and price.

We Receive New Goods Every Week.

Remember the place: 1 door west of post office.

J. H. DANIELEY.

The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Mr. Arthur Finley is visiting friends in Dyeuburg.

J. B. Wood, of Weston, was in town yesterday.

Miss Mary Maxwell returned from Paducah Monday.

Mr. Wm. Bennett, of Dyeuburg, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Givens is spending this week with relatives in Rufus.

Miss Lizzie Fort, of Cadiz, is the guest of Mr. W. T. Carless' family.

Mrs. Susie Perry and little son, of Paducah, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Ong, and Miss Minnie Brown of Tolu, are guest of friends in Marion.

Mrs. Mary Miller, of Enfield, Ill., is the guest of Mr. John Cochran's family.

Mr. A. Wilborn will move to Blackford and go into the grocery business.

Mrs. R. F. Dorr, returned from Paducah Sunday, where she had been visiting friends.

Mrs. Sue Frazier returned from a visit to friends in Caldwell Springs neighborhood Friday.

Rev. Milton Elliott, an eminent divine and educator of Mayfield, is at Crittenden Springs this week.

Mr. Albert Lamb will soon go to Little Lot, Tenn., where he will probably take charge of a flouring mill.

Mrs. R. H. Dean and daughter, little Miss Addie, of Washington City, are guests of friends in Marion.

The Hurricane camp-meeting will begin August 24. Reva J. J. Smith and A. A. Niles will hold the meeting.

Mr. W. H. Copher went to Paducah Saturday to meet his two daughters who have been visiting friends in Marion, Ill.

Mr. T. J. Lanham has completed his bridge at the foot of the Blue hill on Salem road. It is a good, substantial structure.

Ed Tabor was before the court Tuesday charged with gambling. The jury gave a verdict of guilty, fixing his fine at \$20.

Mrs. Binkley, wife of Joseph Binkley, died at her home a few miles south of town Sunday. She was a daughter of Mr. William Cardin.

Mr. W. R. Cruce, who has been spending a month at his home near town, will return to Texas the last of the week. He will travel for a while as a drug store.

Mr. J. W. Skelton will go into the medicine business again, manufacturing and selling remedies for the various ailments to which human flesh is heir.

Mr. C. Y. Haynes, of Gunnison, Miss., is paying his friends in town a visit this week. He left this country more than twenty years for Mississippi where he has since made his home.

All who may wish to attend the Populist convention at Frankfort, can get round trip tickets from Marion to Frankfort for one and one third fare.

A. H. Cardin.

There are many who will take advantage of the exceedingly low rates offered to Old Point Aug 9th to visit their native State, Virginia, and look on the scenes of childhood, bringing back so many fond recollections and pleasant memories.

FOR SALE:—House and lot in Marion; one-half acre, corner lot; house of three rooms and hall. Price \$300.

Walker & Cruce.

Mr. R. B. Gregory has likewise discovered a gold mine on his farm near town.

The metal in appearance is similar to that found near Tolu and has been pronounced by those who profess to know such things to be the genuine article.

The barbecue at Crittenden Springs Saturday was, as usual on such occasions at that place, largely attended. There was plenty to eat and nothing occurred to mar the enjoyment of the day except the heavy downpour of rain in the afternoon.

BROKE JAIL.

Three Prisoners Prize Out and Make Their Escape Tuesday Morning.

HELP FROM THE OUTSIDE.

Harry Osburn, Harry Irwin and Ed Tabor left the county jail Tuesday morning about day light without the authority or consent of Jailer Hard. The jailer says he locked the prisoners each in a cell Monday night and knows the cell doors were locked good and tight as usual. The iron door that leads from the main cage to the outer corridor was also locked, at the center, near the bottom and eighteen inches from the top. Jailer Hard remained up until 12 o'clock Monday night, having a suspicion that an effort would be made to break the jail. Tuesday morning the cell doors were open, the main door was open, and there was a big hole in the brick wall beneath one of the east windows, and the three prisoners were gone.

The upper corner of the main iron door had been prized back with some strong lever and some books the prisoners had were used as a prop to keep the prized section back, while the men crawled out of the small opening.

Once in the outer corridor, it was an easy matter to go through the brick wall.

A posse spent all day Tuesday in the woods southwest of town searching but the escaped men were not found.

Osburn and Irwin are charged with breaking into the store at Crayneville. Tabor was fined for gambling and sent to prison. A reward of \$50 has been offered for Osburn and Irwin.

Jailer Hard thinks they were assisted by persons from the outside. He thinks they were supplied with an iron bar for prizing and took it away with them.

CENSUS SUPERVISOR.

A. C. Moore Will Receive the Appointment for the First District.

Mr. A. C. Moore, of this place, will be the Census Supervisor for the First Congressional District. He has been recommended by Senator Deboe and been notified by the Department at Washington that the appointment will be made.

Mr. Moore is a competent worthy man, and the appointment meets with the approval of his many friends, irrespective of politics, and he has been receiving congratulations from every hand.

A Probable Candidate

There are a great many surmises as to who will be the Republican candidate for the legislature. As "Uncle Jeff" is again the Democratic standard bearer, the question is frequently asked, "will Rev. E. B. Blackburn be his opponent again?"

Rev. Blackburn informed the Press some time ago that he had no disposition to make another race, and his opinion was that the Republicans would put up a Livingston county man this time. We have it on pretty good authority that a well known young Republican of Marion is being urged by his many friends to make the race, and he now has the matter under advisement and will shortly make known his intentions. Dr. O. S. Young, the popular dentist, is the man. He is energetic, well posted and sensible and if his party gives him the nomination he will make a good race.

Mrs. Manard De d

Saturday Mrs. Roxey Manard, wife of Will Manard, died at the home of her father-in-law, Mr. Nathan Manard, near Crittenden Springs, after several days illness of fever. The family moved to Illinois some months ago, and Mrs. Manard was taken sick there and brought back some two weeks ago.

She was a daughter of Mr. J. A. Clark who lives near town.

A Broken Jaw.

A fourteen year old boy by the name of Samuels, a nephew of Mr. Joseph Samuels, jumped from a moving train near Repton Monday, receiving serious, probably fatal injuries. The boy got on the train as it was moving out, to take a little ride, he said, and when it had gone a short distance he jumped off breaking his jaw in three different places.

About the Court House.

On the 21st, Mr. W. C. Hamilton presented his commission from the governor as magistrate in Bella Mines precinct and qualified with E. L. Nunn as surety.

J. P. Reed was granted an order authorizing him to appropriate 24 acres of vacant land.

The Very Best Service Will Be Given.

It is the desire of the C. & O. to have nothing but the best car service, and the beautiful vestibuled train to be used August 9th, will please the most fastidious. The run made on this excursion last year was the quickest on record and equally, as good time may be expected this year which makes the trip void of any tedious perplexities encountered so often.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Does Pierce Butler's Wife—Other Suits Filed

Mrs. K. M. Butler has filed suit for a divorce from her husband, Pierce Butler. In the petition the plaintiff alleges cruel treatment on the part of her husband; she asks the court for the care and custody of their seven children, and for such alimony and immediate maintenance as may seem proper.

Mrs. R. W. Wilson, G. C. Gray, P. S. Maxwell and J. W. Blue have filed suit to foreclose a lien on the D. H. Franks farm purchased by the Crittenden Land & Mineral Co. The plaintiffs furnished the defendants \$831.46 to finish paying for the farm.

Mr. Henry Howerton and wife have filed suit to have a deed they made to Charlotte L. Henry in Nov. 1896, for 150 acres of land, set aside. The deed was made in consideration that Charlotte Henry take care of and provide for Mr. and Mrs. Howerton during their natural lives. In the petition they allege that the defendants "failed and refused to take care of and support the plaintiffs."

Music Class

Mrs. Carrie Thomas who was forced to give up her position as music teacher at this place last year on account of ill health, has regained her health and will return and open her school the first Monday in September, and she would like to have a few pupils during the vacation. She teaches on all the instruments and gives vocal lessons to beginners as well as advanced pupils. She has taught here several years and her ability and success as a teacher is well known.

Deeds Recorded

Jo W. W. Guess to E. S. and R. H. Moore, 4 lots for \$200.

Obe Pais to I. H. Hunt, 48 acres for \$215.

J. W. Guess to L. J. Millikan, 4 lots for \$200.

L. J. Millikan to O. E. Guess, 4 lots for \$400.

O. E. Guess to Mrs. Ida Marks, 4 lots for \$425.

Little Harry Walker Dead

Harry, the 19 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Walker died this morning at 9 o'clock, after an illness of several with cholera infantum. The remains will be interred in Fernwood tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the entire community.—Henderson Journal.

Bismark's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health, indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c J. H. Orme's drug store.

Stamp Your Check

Cashier Yandell, of Marion Bank has received the following instructions from Collector Frank: "You are advised that banks must not affix stamps to unstamped checks presented, and must return to the drawer any unstamped checks presented for payment."

Marriage License

July 22—Earnest Hill and Mary McDowell.

July 25—Calvin E. Humphreys and Cordie Lynn.

Shooting Scrape

A shooting scrape occurred at a barbecue at Quinn, Caldwell county Saturday, and one man was dangerously and two slightly wounded. According to reports Mack Burgess and George Daniel became involved in a quarrel and exchanged shots.

Burgess was shot in the abdomen and the wound is dangerous. A stray bullet struck a bystander named Campbell in the shoulder, and another bullet slightly wounded another spectator of the affair.

Card of Thanks

We shall ever remember with grateful hearts the kindness of the good people of Marion and vicinity during the recent sickness and at the funeral service of our dear mother, Susan Hughes. Surely we were not forgotten or neglected in that saddest and bitterest of ordeals. From the beginning of our mother's sickness until she was tenderly laid to rest, our faithful friends never deserted us. The Family.

Commissioner's Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of Wm. Belt, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to me, properly proven, on or before Nov. 1, 1899, or they will thereafter be barred.

L. W. Cruce, Comr.

Notice.

All persons interested in the Love grave yard are requested to meet on Saturday, August 5th, at 8 o'clock, a. m., and clean up the yard.

E. B. Moore.

CONVENTION.

The Sunday Schools of the County Hold their Annual Meeting

The Crittenden County Association met July 18, 1899.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Bro. Henry Love, after which the regular programme was taken up.

The first topic.—How may we obtain the best results in convention, was well and ably discussed by Bro. J. F. Price. He said as he looked down into the faces of so many people he could but believe that the best results are obtained only in attending conventions with the work of the Sunday school at heart and thereby becoming interested in the work at home.

The second topic.—Acquaintance of teacher with home, was discussed by Mrs. Lillie Flansary. She said by entertaining the children would be encouraged, and the principles of sociability would thus be instilled into their young hearts.

Bro. Price suggested the importance of birthday visits, and visiting children at home, as a pastor overlooking his flock.

Committee on nomination appointed, to-wit:—J. F. Price, A. U. Lamb, A. C. Love, Dr. Carthy, T. M. Hill, Geo. Travis.

Committee on resolutions.—Prof. Evans, E. H. Mott, R. M. Franks.

Committee on State paper.—Miss Alice Griffith, Mrs. Lillie Flansary.

How to enlist church members by A. U. Lamb.

A live church will have a live Sunday School.

Interested parents make interested Sunday school scholars.

Bro. Price discussed character building from a mental and spiritual point of view.

Home, life and library schools are a great means in building the character of children, etc. Great stress placed on the Sunday School as a factor in forming character of the young.

NOON.

A sumptuous repast of goods things was spread on the ground and all were plentifully filled.

Miss Alice Griffith gave an entertaining talk on training.

We had a very enjoyable paper read by Miss Flansary on the subject of Sunday School memories.

The following reports were given: First district reported six schools in good working order of about 500 children in attendance. Amount paid for State purposes \$8 57.

Second district reported about 350 pupils, all doing good work.

The entire county reported about 1200 children in attendance at Sunday, with a manifest growth in interest.

The vast audience was held in close attention by Mr. Butler. Subject: "Model Superintendents." He says the qualifications of a superintendent, is faithfulness, earnestness and energy.

Moved and seconded that the Fourth district be divided into districts, Nos. 4 and 5, the O. V. railroad being the dividing line. Motion carried.

Resolved, that the Executive Committee meet the first Friday in each month at 3 o'clock in the C. P. church, Marion, Ky.

Moved that the report of committee on nomination be received. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, B. F. McMican, Secretary, Sue Phillips.

Executive Committee—Mrs. Miles, A. U. Lamb, Miss Lena Woods, Mrs. Cora Cridger, G. M. Travis, Mae Tom Griffith, Al Adams.

Officers of respective district: First District—G. M. Travis, W. A. Jacobs.

Second District—J. Henry Walker, T. M. Hill.

Third District—R. M. Franks.

Fourth District—Miss Lou Hughes.

Fifth District—W. J. Hill.

The audience was well entertained by the classes of the different Sunday Schools of the county, especially were they entertained by the singing of the small children of the Glendale school.

After discussing the topic, "What will I do to make next years work better than all the rest," the congregation was dismissed by singing "When the roll is called up yonder."

RESOLUTIONS.

Sunday School Convention, Crittenden County, Silom church, July 18, 1899.

1st. Resolved, That as Sunday Schools of Crittenden county, Kentucky, in convention assembled that we are grateful to Almighty God, for his goodness, and his up-building and supporting of the interests of Sunday school work in this country.

2nd. That we consecrate with great fidelity and love, our endeavors to further the interest of God's cause as evinced in his Sunday schools; and especially do we urge upon all the Sunday schools of our county to guard with zealous eye and heart, these yearly Sunday school rallies from which so much pleasure and godly profit has been obtained.

3rd. That we thank the people of Silom community, one and all for their unbounded and christian hospitality and welcome here.

4th. That we thank all speakers who this day have contributed to the

Secret of Beauty

is health. The secret of health is the power to digest and assimilate a proper quantity of food. This can never be done when the liver does not act it's part.

Doyouknowthis?

Tutt's Liver Pills are an absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation, torpid liver, piles, jaundice, bilious fever, biliousness and kindred diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills

program and to the assistance of God's word. And we would especially urge upon all those who consent to having their names next year upon program to be here.

Charles Evans,
E. H. Mott,
R. M. Franks.
Committee.

Camp-Meeting Feed Stable.

I will run a feed stable at Piney camp ground during the campmeeting, beginning Aug. 13. Horses left with me will be properly cared for.

T. E. Hearin.

Any one who may have found a stray book, "Circle of Unbounded Knowledge," lost in school here this spring will please notify me.

J. C. Bibb, Mexico, Ky.

What is Kodol Dyspepsia Cure? It is the newly discovered remedy, the most effective preparation ever devised for aiding the digestion and assimilation of food, and restoring the deranged digestive organs to a natural condition. It is a discovery surpassing anything yet known to the medical profession.

J. H. Orme.

Stray Notice.

Taken up as a stray, one mile north of Shady Grove, one mare mule, about 15 years old, blue colored, with gray head, about 14 hands high. Owner can have same by paying for feeding, and this notice.

D. J. McDowell.

Attention Old Soldiers.

The manufacturers have instructed druggist to give a bottle of 25c size of Foley's Colic Cure free to the first soldier of the civil war that applies for same. It is the great remedy for Chronic Diarrhoea, Cramp Colic and all Bowel complaints.

Stray Mule.

A brown or black mare mule, about 12 years old, 15 hands high, came to my house July 11, 1899. The owner can have same by paying expenses of keeping and for this notice.

W. J. Farris, Marion, Ky.

Stray Notice.

Strayed from me at Shady Grove, a black mare mule, getting tolerable old, about 14 hands high, shod in front, and was in good condition when last seen. Information as to her whereabouts wanted. Will pay for trouble.

Geo. Sullivan, Shady Grove, Ky.

Stray Notice.

A medium size, chestnut sorrel horse, about 5 years old, strayed from me at Shady Grove, about a week ago. Any information as to his whereabouts wanted. I will reward for trouble.

Joe Waggoner, Salem, Ky.

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NOTICE.

I want to thank the good people of the town of Marion, Crittenden and adjoining counties for their liberal patronage since I have been in the grocery business. I shall ever remember them with the kindest of regards. As I have disposed of my interest in the business to Mr. John D. B. az, I want to ask a continuance of your patronage, assuring you that my successor, Mr. B. az, will show his appreciation of your favor by giving them prompt and careful attention, and by treating all in an honest, fair, square business manner. All parties owing the firm of B. F. McMican since January 14, 1899, and the firm of McMican & B. az, please call and settle same at your earliest convenience with Mr. B. az, who will receipt or give credit for same, as all accounts now belong to him.

B. F. McMican.

STRAYED:—A small brindled cow with a little white in face and on fore legs, one horn off to the pith. Any information gladly received.

A. Lamb, Marion.

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